



Department of Energy

Washington, DC 20585

May 28, 2010

Mr. Michael Wasson, CTO
ASKO Appliances, Inc.
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Plano, TX 75074

Dear Mr. Wasson,

This letter is to inform you that the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), based on testing performed as part of the ENERGY STAR® Verification Testing Pilot Program, believes that ASKO dishwasher model D5122XXLB may violate federal minimum standards for energy efficiency. DOE's test results indicate that the model's energy consumption is 2% above permitted federal energy consumption levels.

The Department has opened an investigation to explore this matter. DOE anticipates issuing a test notice related to ASKO dishwasher model D5122XXLB, in accordance with 10 CFR 430.70. If you wish to discuss this matter further, please contact Laura Barhydt of my staff at Laura.Barhydt@hq.doe.gov or 202-287-5772 by June 11, 2010.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Scott Harris". The signature is stylized, with a large, sweeping "S" and a distinct "H".

Scott Blake Harris
General Counsel

